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TO AMEMBASSY DAR ES SALAAM

AMEMBASSY LUSAKA

C O N F I D E N T I A L STATE 262730

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: ECON, ETRN

SUBJECT: TAN-ZAM RAILWAY (C-ER-4-58582)

REF: STATE82195, AUG. 20

1. ON 2 NOVEMBER CHINESE MINISTER FOR ECONOMIC RELATIONS FANG I STATED THAT 200 KILOMETERS OF TRACK REMAIN TO BE LAID FOR TAN-ZAM RAILWAY TO REACH KIPIRI MPOSHI, ZAMBIA. SOME PRESS REPORTS INDICATE TRACK-LAYING IS NEAR COMPLETION. WE NEED AN AUTHORITATIVE REPORT ON CURRENT STATUS OF TRACK-LAYING.

2. APPRECIATE UPDATES DAR ES SALAAM A-164 OF SEPTEMBER 3 AND LUSAKA'S 1741 OF AUGUST 27 (BOTH IN RESPONSE REFTTEL) IF WARRANTED BY NEW INFORMATION.

3. A RESPONSE TO PARA 1 WOULD BE APPRECIATED BY DECEMBER 4, 1974 TO COMPLETE A REPORT NOW IN PROCESS. PLS CITE C-ER-4-58582 IN RESPONSE. INGERSOLL

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